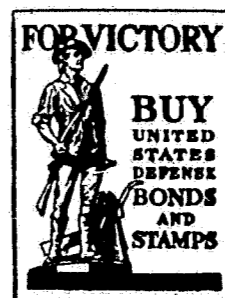


WE CANNOT HAVE ALL WE WANT IF OUR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS ARE TO HAVE ALL THEY NEED.—President Roosevelt



# The BETHEL OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN



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## CHARLES SMITH A CADET AT MAXWELL FIELD

Cadet Charles O. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer C. Smith of Bethel, is enrolled as a member of the last class of aviation cadets to enter the huge Air Corps Replacement Training Center (Air Crew) at Maxwell Field, Ala., where he is now taking pre-flight training.

Cadet Smith is a graduate of Gould Academy, class of 1935, and was employed as a department foreman by the E. L. Tebbets Spool Co. before he was accepted as a cadet in the U. S. Army Air Corps.

After completing his course at Maxwell Field he will be sent to one of the many primary flying schools located in the Southeast Air Corps Training Center for the first phase of his pilot training.

## BOY'S GYM EXHIBITION

Mr. Roderick will present an exhibition of some of the physical education work he has developed in his short time at Gould Academy, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Again the public is invited to attend this unusual demonstration. There will be tumbling, clowns, stunts, exhibits as well as demonstrations.

## BAND CONCERT AND MUSICALS

Gould Academy will present the following band program on the steps of Hancscom Hall, Tuesday evening at 7:30. The public is cordially urged to attend. No admission. Children are urged to come with parents or older friends and remain quiet during the program.

The Star Spangled Banner  
Right in Step Heywood Jones  
The Thunderer Sousa  
Prince and Jester Overture

Our Director Taylor  
Spirit of America Bigelow  
The Londonderry Air Sordilla  
Arranged by Chanette  
The Ambassador Laurendeau  
Lyric Overture Taylor  
National Emblem Bagley  
Immediately following this concert the musical groups of Gould Academy will present a concert in the William Bingham Gymnasium as follows. Parents and friends are urged to attend.

The Ramparts We Watch  
St. Commander Beecher  
Dear Land of Home  
from "Finlandia" Sibelius  
Glee Club  
Clarinet solo Priscilla Carver  
Gonna Join de Heavenly Choir  
Negro Spiritual arr. by Noble Cain  
Mountains Czecho Slovakian Folk  
Ho-La-Li Bavarian Folk Song  
Arranged by Luvfias  
Tenor Saxophone Solo  
Stanley Davis  
Hall, O Star of Wonder Gleg  
Sanctus from "Saint Cecilia Mass" Gounod  
Frank Murdock, soloist  
Czecho Slovakian Dance Song  
Arranged by Manney  
Gardens by the Sea  
Charles Repper  
Land of Our Hearts  
George Chadwick

## SHOWER

Mrs. Stanley Brown was guest of honor at a shower at the home of Mrs. Richard Davis Wednesday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Richard Young and daughter, Pamela, Mrs. Herman Mason, Mrs. Arnel Brown, Mrs. Millard Clough, Mrs. Clyde Brooks, Mrs. Carl Brown, Mrs. Avery Angeline and son, Donald, Mrs. Ernest Blake and son, Bobby, Mrs. Rufus Rice and son, Douglas, Mrs. Richard Davis and daughter, Leslie Lee, Mrs. Gilbert Brown and Mrs. Ernest Angeline. Games were enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served.

## GOULD LOSES TWO 2-1 GAMES IN WEEK

South Paris 2—Gould 1  
Gould lost a heart-breaker when they visited South Paris last Friday, 2-1. The game, one of the fastest school games ever played in the state, went along scoreless until the ninth. Both pitchers were getting good backing and were performing quite capably themselves.

In the ninth Gould squeezed across what looked like a mighty important run when Amato reached on an error, then after he had stolen second, Robertson singled cleanly to center field for the run. However, South Paris both received and made breaks for themselves in the last of the ninth. The action was delayed until French had grounded out to Coolidge and Pihlman had done the same to Robertson, making two outs. Rosenberg lifted a long foul fly to Reid in left field which Reid had in his hands but dropped as he neared the steep bank there; then Rosenberg singled cleanly and Prince came to bat. He hit a ground ball to Robertson who threw to Young on first for what should have been the final out and the ball game. However, as Prince neared the bag he put his head down and plowed over "Archie" forcing him to drop the ball. This allowed Prince to go to second and Rosenberg to third. Here it seemed wise to walk Stearns, a strong left handed batter, and pitch to the next man. The South Paris board of strategy crossed us up by inserting a pinch hitter, Brown, who singled sharply into center field, scoring runners from second and third. Thus Gould lost what would have been their second one-run victory over a favored South Paris team.

The summary:  
GOULD ab h po a  
Amato, cf 4 0 2 0  
Young, 1b 4 0 10 0  
Robertson, ss 4 2 1 4  
Coolidge, 2b 4 0 2 2  
Wright, c 3 0 6 0  
Emmons, rf 2 0 2 0  
Berry, 3b 3 1 1 2  
Reid, lf 3 0 2 1  
McInnis, p 3 0 0 1  
30 3 26 10  
SOUTH PARIS ab h po a  
Emery, lf 4 2 2 0  
Pihlman, ss 3 0 0 4  
Levesque, 1b 4 0 15 0  
French, 2b 4 0 1 2  
Rosenberg, p 3 3 1 4  
Prince, c 4 0 5 2  
Stearns, 3b 2 0 2 2  
Frothingham, cf 3 0 1 1  
Brown 1 1 0 0  
Sanborn, rf 2 0 0 0  
McPhee, rf 1 0 0 0  
31 6 27 15

Fryeburg 2—Gould 1  
Gould participated in their fourth straight tight ball game dropping a 2-1 decision to Fryeburg Academy. This game was well played but lacked some of the enthusiasm of the South Paris game.  
McInnis held their hard-hitting team in check allowing them only seven hits and one earned run. In the second Doughty singled and scored on Haley's double to left. Coolidge scored Gould's one run in the second also when he tripled to deep right and tallied as Young was being thrown out at first. Gould lost another valuable opportunity in the fifth when Morton singled and went all the way to—continued on last page

## NOUS JEUNES FILLES CLUB COMPLETES SEASON

The Nous Jeunes Filles club enjoyed a weenie roast at the Locke Mills picnic ground, May 14. There were nine present. Cars were furnished by Christie Knight and Sylvia Bird. After the supper, the regular meeting was held, and it was voted to close the meetings until next fall.

## BLACK OUT REGULATIONS

The warning for air raid or black out in Bethel will be three (or more) blasts of the fire siren. According to standard warning practice the whistle blasts last two minutes so it may be that more than three blasts will be sounded. All places must be blacked out immediately. One short blast of the siren is the all clear signal.

Rural sections will also be notified by 10 short rings on the telephone lines and the all clear signal is to be one long ring.

A practice blackout is expected this week and the local authorities are hoping for full cooperation.

## BETHEL YOUNG PEOPLE PROMINENT AMONG BATES COLLEGE GRADUATES

Erland S. Wentzell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley H. Wentzell, and Barbara G. Moore, daughter of Mrs. Nahum Moore, are among the 164 candidates for degrees at the 76th annual commencement of Bates College Sunday afternoon, May 24. Wentzell, who has majored in chemistry will be graduated cum laude with a Bachelor of Science degree. Miss Moore, an English major, will receive the Bachelor of Arts degree.

Wentzell has been president of the Lawrence Chemical Society this year and an assistant in the chemistry department. Active in class affairs, he has been a member of several committees and is now on the Class Day Committee.

Miss Moore has been very active at Bates in the Women's Athletic Association. She is president of the Ski Club, secretary treasurer of the Swimming Club, and a member of the Basketball Club, as well as serving on the junior board of the Association and on the staff of the college newspaper.

## FAMOUS SNOW STORM

50 YEARS AGO  
Fifty years ago tonight, on May 21, 1892, snow began falling at 6 o'clock and continued through the night. The next morning there was a foot of snow so that those seeking novelty were able to enjoy sleigh rides for a short time. The snow did no damage to early crops.

## ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Howe of Winchester, Mass., have recently announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marilyn Howe, to Erland Stanley Wentzell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley H. Wentzell of Bethel. Miss Howe graduated from Gould Academy.

Mr. Wentzell attended Gould Academy and graduated from Bates College. He is now employed at the Calco Company, in Bound Brook, N. J.

## MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

Plans for the observance of Memorial Day at present include the customary exercises at the soldier's monument at 2 p. m., when David Nichols of Lincolnville will be the speaker. Mr. Nichols has won honors on the debating team of Bates College, where he will graduate Sunday.

Henry W. Boyker of Bethel will speak at East Bethel in the morning.

## A. R. MASON & SONS

Tomato, Pepper, Cabbage  
Snapdragon, Petunia  
Patience Lucy, Calendula, Aster  
Geranium, Portulaca  
Celery, Cauliflower, Broccoli

## PLANTS

Telephone Orders: 41

## HEALTH COUNCIL OFFICERS CHOSEN

A meeting of the Bethel Health Council was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. J. Upson. The nominating committee reported and the following officers were elected: chairman, Mrs. W. J. Upson; vice chairman, Rev. M. A. Gordon; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Laurence Lord; publicity, Mrs. Earl Davis; education, Mrs. Homer Lawrence and Mrs. Robert Hastings.

Miss Geraldine Hiller of Portland, Consultant Nurse of Districts Nos. 1 and 2, and Mrs. Ruth Hopkins were present and explained the objects of the council. These are: 1. To assist in interpreting the public health program to the community in order to have it adequately supported and used. 2. To assist in maintaining high standards of service. 3. To assist in developing a cooperative program with all of the public health agencies in the community.

The by-laws were discussed by Miss Hiller and Mrs. Hopkins gave the following report of the schools:

Examinations by physician 316  
Vision 11  
Audiometer test 209  
(1) ears 11  
Nasal passages 1  
Throat 38  
Skin and scalp 4  
Heart 1  
Speech 1  
Communicable diseases 6  
Exclusion for symptoms 6  
Posture 10  
Sick test 229  
Small pox 80  
Typhoid 42  
Meetings will be held the first Wednesday of each month at 2:30 p. m. The next meeting will be held June 3 at the home of Mrs. W. J. Upson.

## STATE SELECTIVE SERVICE REPORTS DELINQUENTS

The following names were issued from State Headquarters for Selective Service in Maine as having been reported as delinquent for failing to comply with Selective Service Laws and Regulations:

COX, Frederick, Rumbold Center, c/o Dan Inman, Order No. 1048, registered at Local Board No. 1, Kennebec County, Augusta, Maine—failed to report for induction.  
RIPLEY, Howard Kenneth, Malloway, Maine, Order No. 2014, registered at Local Board No. 2, Oxford County, Rumbold, Maine—failed to report for induction.

## FRED MASON OF GILEAD KILLED IN FALL ON SAW

Fred Mason died before he could be taken to a hospital last Thursday after falling on a wood sawing machine. With a neighbor, Joseph Baker Jr., he was making adjustments on the machine when the accident occurred.

Mr. Mason was born Sept. 8, 1883, the son of John A. and Ellen M. Ebens Mason. His life work was a farmer.

Funeral services were held Monday at the Grange Hall at North Lovell. Rev. W. I. Bull of Waterford officiating. Burial was at the North Lovell Cemetery.

## CORP. RYERSON TO ATTEND TRAINING SCHOOL

Corporal Hirschel A. Ryerson of Camp Shelby, Miss., son of Mrs. H. E. Merrill of East Bethel, will take the Postal Officer candidate course, according to an announcement last week from the 43d Division headquarters. Corp. Ryerson has been a member of the postal section since induction into the army. Upon completion of the course he will be commissioned a second lieutenant.

## GOULD ACADEMY HOST TO COUNTY TRACK TEAMS

On Saturday, May 23, track teams of Oxford County will meet at Gould Academy for their Annual Track and Field Meet. The affair is scheduled to start promptly at 1:30 p. m. with Rumbold, last year's champions, Fryeburg Academy, Mexico High School, Norway High School and Gould Academy competing.

The local track team is favored to come through to unseat Rumbold this year as they have already defeated them in a triangular meet with the Bates Freshmen. Mexico too has gone down before the Gould track men. Fryeburg and Norway as yet have not been tangled with, but as Norway is sending a very limited squad, it leaves only Fryeburg as a "dark horse" opponent.

The meet will include the same 12 events that have always made up the Oxford County track Meet. They include the 100 yd. dash, the 220, 440, mile, half mile, 120 yd. low hurdles, high jump, broad jump, pole vault, shot put, discus, and javelin. Ribbons will be awarded to winners of the first four places in each event and a team trophy to the school winning the championship games.

## BETHEL MAN A SHARPSHOOTER

Private Arthur W. Gray of Company B, 34th Training Battalion, Camp Croft, S. C., has qualified with the Springfield Rifle as Sharpshooter with the score of 217.

## GOULD ACADEMY MUSICAL CLUBS TO BROADCAST

Miss Griggs will present the following program over WCSH Thursday evening at 10:30.

By the Bend of the River  
Edwards-Dels  
Czecho-Slovakian Folk Song  
Arranged by Manney  
Mixed Glee Club  
Pastorale Bruno Labate  
Oboe solo Patricia Gould  
Gardens by the Sea  
Charles Repper  
Ho-la-li Bavarian Folk Song  
Arranged by Luvfias  
The Path Leading Down to the River  
Stiel  
Girls Glee Club  
Ave Maria Stella Gleg  
Mixed Glee Club  
The students making the trip are: Hope Bean, Rosalie George, Patricia Gould, Carolyn Wight, Barbara Graves, Thelma LaTulip, Jane Chesley, June Enman, Louisa Bacon, Seabury Short, Malcolm Brown, Fremont Ireland Jr., Stanley Davis, Jack Haines, Frank Murdock, Elizabeth Wight, accompanist. Accompanied by Miss Griggs and Mr. Ireland.

## THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1942

Sun rises 5:07; set 8:05  
Morning temperatures and weather: May 15, 40, cloudy. May 16, 50, cloudy. May 17, 52, rain. May 18, 55, cloudy. May 19, 54, fair. May 20, 60, cloudy. May 21, 55, cloudy.

## BLACK OUT NOTICE

D. Grover Brooks, Chief Air Raid Warden for Bethel, has made the following arrangements to warn the people living in the rural districts of an Air Raid.

The telephone operator will ring 10 short rings as a signal of an air raid. Please BLACK OUT. One long ring will be the all clear signal.

Please use the telephone only for emergency during the black out. The success of this plan depends on you.

VAN TEL. & TEL. CO.

## Check These "Trouble-Spots" To Avoid Plowing Breakdowns, N. Y. State Expert Advises



**KEEP 'EM SHINING!** Soil clings to a rusty plow, causing excessive draft and fuel-waste. Clean off rust and rub share with oil every evening. When not in use, plow should be covered with thick coating of heavy grease, or a rust proof oil.



**ADJUST CAREFULLY!** Colters and jointers should be kept in careful adjustment. A colter that leans sideways will crowd the plow. A wobbly colter permits trash to wedge between jointer point and colter.



**LUBRICATE TWICE DAILY!** Grease colter-bearings and wheel bearings twice a day with a good quality chassis lubricant. Cheap cup grease is too easily squeezed out or washed out of the vital friction breakdowns.

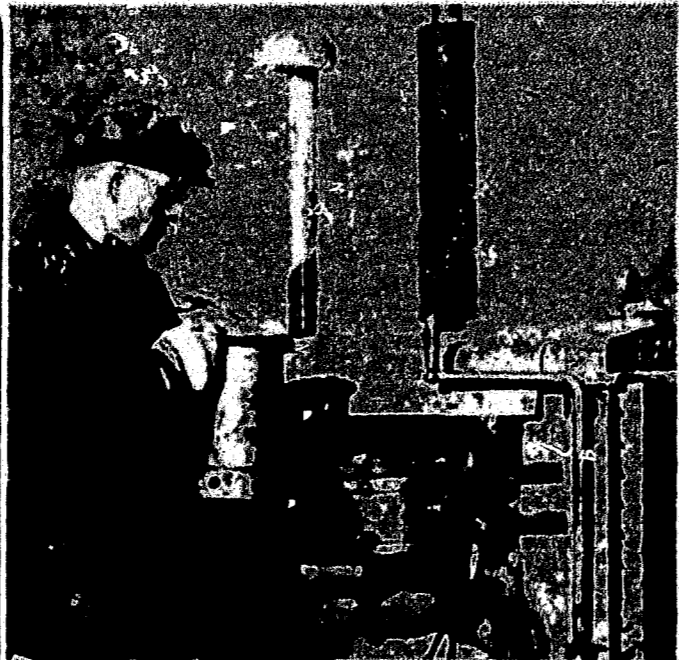


By  
Eric Patterson  
Farm Supt. N. Y.  
State Institute of  
Agriculture

IN this day of mechanized farming and all-out farm production, one of the most serious problems confronting any farmer is machinery breakdown. It is probably safe to say that over a million dollars worth of crops are lost every year through unexpected work hold-ups.

Fortunately, most breakdowns can be averted if proper attention is given to the few "trouble spots" that do most of the damage. Our experience with all kinds of farm machinery and lubricants, has shown that the "trouble spots" pictured here deserve particular attention during the plowing season.

Frequent and heavy lubrication of farm machinery is vital. Over-lubrication costs very little, while under-lubrication usually results in costly repair bills. Since dirt and



and grade of oil—changed according to engine manufacturers' specifications.

**CHANGE OIL REGULARLY:** Dirt entering your tractor's crankcase, makes frequent oil changes vital. Don't economize with cheap oil. Tractors, even more than automobiles, need top quality motor oil that stands up to the punishing heat of powerful engines. Oil Filters protect engines against grit and sludge — only when the filter element is replaced as soon as it darkens. Lubrication is assured by proper quality.

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are the greatest enemies of farm machinery, it is well to remember that when you see grease coming out of a bearing, you know that dirt isn't going in.

**AUTHOR'S NOTE:** It is not the policy of the N. Y. State Institute of Agriculture to recommend any specific products, and nothing in this article should be so construed.

## ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare

Today most minds are centered on the job of winning this war—and that is one of the biggest jobs that has come to any nation in the history of mankind. At the same time, many men are thinking of that day when the war will finally end and the equally vast task of reconstruction must be started. They are laying plans for this world of the future, based on the hope that ways can be found to make international peace and prosperity real and permanent, instead of temporary and illusory.

All Americans know what happened after the last war. It was the position of President Wilson that this nation must accept the responsibility of leadership in world affairs, and he believed that the League of Nations was the proper instrument for the discharge of that responsibility. For good or ill, Mr. Wilson could not win the American Congress and the American people to his side. He literally burned himself out on a national speaking tour which proved to be an utter failure. This nation was sick of internationalism and war. It wanted only to mind its own business and to manage its own affairs. It had little interest in what went on beyond its borders.

Now the situation is vastly different in many ways. The Atlantic Charter commits this nation to help in the rebuilding of all the world. The Charter, in principle, has been almost universally approved. Indeed, the main criticism of it is that it does not go far enough. And, perhaps more important still, the political opposition to the Administration has formally placed itself on record with a policy which is a far cry from the "traditional isolationism" of yesteryear.

At the end of the last war, the strongest figure in the Republican party was the able Senator Lodge who did more than any other man to block Congressional approval of the League of Nations. Now the dominant figure in the party is a man whose viewpoint is genuinely internationalist, Wendell Willkie.

It was Mr. Willkie who carried the torch at the recent meeting of the Republican Policy Committee, and who succeeded in having passed resolutions which completely embody his ideas.

The other day Mr. Willkie made a speech, in which he said this: "It will be a new idea to many Americans that the United States in the future may need help from other nations. But we do need help if our ideas of personal liberty, of justice, of equality, of hope and growth and expansion, are to survive. We can keep America to ourselves, though I doubt if the American we keep to ourselves would be free. But we cannot keep freedom to ourselves. If we are to have freedom, we must share freedom.... The day of vast empire is past. The day of equal peoples is at hand...."

"Let us keep that aim shining before us like a light—a light for the people of Europe, for the people of Africa, for the people of Asia, for the people of South America, and for the people of our own beloved land."

As Time put it, "Seldom before had any U. S. Leader said, in such clean, earthy words, that the freedom on which this nation was founded means freedom and dignity for all people of all lands."

Precisely what we must do in the future is in the laps of the gods. Many think that there will be great economic adjustments, and we must find ways to help other peoples attain the means as well as the desire to buy part of the incredible flood of goods that our post-war factories will be able to produce. They

think there will be an end to thinking that peoples of another creed and color are inferior to peoples of our creed and color. They think, in short, that a real start may be made toward the goal of the brotherhood of Man that Philosophers have dreamed about for 20 centuries.

In any event, all of us are now getting a new and far more accurate idea of the character of other peoples. We used to think of the Chinese in terms of incredible poverty, disease and ignorance—now we have learned that the Chinese are brave and intelligent and are led by men who are outstanding in any company. We used to think of the Russians as spineless serfs—and now the Russians have held the greatest military machine the world has ever

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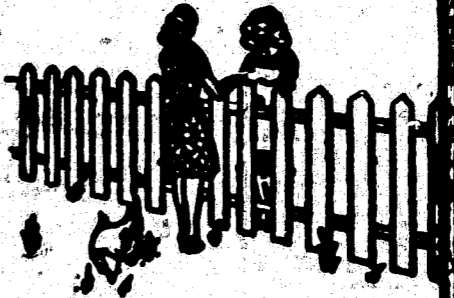
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### DRAMA.....POWER.....AND DREAMS

Bonnie May managed our village beauty shop for five years, and many women insist her permanents were the best they ever had. But today the beauty shop has a new manager. Bonnie May is doing riveting in an airplane factory in a war-industry city 80 miles away.

"It's wonderful," she says. "I've never enjoyed working so much. Of course, I do the same thing over and over again. But I don't mind. I'm part of a group of men and women who are making planes that are necessary to our Army. So I feel important, even if I only add rivets. I get a big thrill every time I see one of the finished planes that I've helped build! It certainly beats shampooing and setting hair, and I feel sorry for women who have to keep on doing ordinary jobs in stores or offices or even at home when so many exciting things are going on!"

What's happening to Bonnie May is that she's getting a new understanding of the meaning of modern industry. Industry had seemed to her, as it had to the majority of women, something far away, quite outside the orbit of her own life. It was a business made up of wheels and pulleys and gears and noise and confusion, she thought—of no interest to dainty, well-dressed girl

until its finished products, nicely wrapped in cellophane appeared on the shelves of a Main Street store!

For years Bonnie May was spared the workaday aspects of this great driving force that was changing not only her own beauty shop business and her home but the whole world. But she was also deprived of the drama—the stimulating power—the daring dreams of the vast wonder working machine that is modern industry, developed largely by the skill and vision and hard work of American men.

But the day of woman's industrial innocence is passing. When millions of girls like Bonnie May begin punching time clocks in hundreds of factories, the 20th century method of production, on which our 20th century way of life depends, will mean something to women as a whole.

Never again will the work that goes on in the factories of the world be a mystery to us. It will never again seem to be too complicated, or too hard, or too dirty for women to have a part in—something for men only. Because of this wartime experience there will be greater understanding, greater appreciation, greater cooperation between the men and women of America.

known, and perhaps saved all the United Nations from defeat and disaster. We used to think of Australia as a rather uninteresting and unimportant "island" far away in the Pacific—and now we have learned that the Australians are people very like ourselves, proud and embattled, and that the defense of Australia is vital to our own defense. So it goes. Whatever comes, the average American is obtaining an infinitely better knowledge of the world and the peoples who inhabit it than his forebears ever had.

There is small chance of the President's anti-inflation program passing exactly as he proposed it. It will be adopted in general, however.

It is unlikely that Congress will accept the \$25,000 ceiling on incomes. But some sort of limit will be imposed. Biggest battle of all may come over the President's ideas on agricultural prices—the farm bloc is extremely strong, and it swings a great deal of weight when the votes are counted.

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BONELESS  
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MACARONI AND CHEESE 1/2 lb. 14c  
BAKED LOAF 1/2 lb. 14c  
CALIFORNIA SUNKIST  
ORANGES doz. 33c  
INDIAN RIVER Seedless  
GRAPEFRUIT 3 for 25c  
BUNCHED  
CARROTS 2 lge. bunches 13c  
CRISP ICEBERG  
LETTUCE 2 lge. heads 19c  
TEXAS YELLOW  
ONIONS 3 lbs. 17c

RED & WHITE Fancy  
PINEAPPLE JUICE 46 oz. 43c  
RED & WHITE  
GRAPE JUICE pt. 21c  
RED & WHITE Whole Kernel  
CORN 2 cans 29c  
RED & WHITE  
GRAPE JUICE qt. 39c  
RED & WHITE  
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE can 10c  
RED & WHITE  
WHEAT CEREAL pkg. 17c  
RED & WHITE Fancy  
TOMATO JUICE 3 cans 25c  
RED & WHITE Shortcake  
PEACHES No. 2 1/2 can 29c  
RED & WHITE Large Fancy  
PRUNES 2 lb. pkg. 29c  
MART Brand  
COFFEE 1 lb. 27c  
RED & WHITE  
WHEAT FLAKES 2 pkgs. 23c

PALM BEACH  
ORANGE JUICE 46 oz. 33c  
RED & WHITE  
GRAPEFRUIT Juice 46 oz. 25c  
SUNSHINE  
ORANGE JUICE 12 oz. 10c  
RED & WHITE Fancy  
ORANGE Juice 3 12oz. cans 25c  
CAMAY SOAP bar 7c  
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RED & WHITE  
APRICOT NECTAR 12 oz. 10c  
RED & WHITE  
TOMATO JUICE 2 cans 23c  
RED & WHITE Lemon Scented  
CLEANER can 5c  
CRISCO 1 lb. 25c 3 lb. can 71c  
RED & WHITE Fancy  
CAKE FLOUR 44 oz. pkg. 23c  
SUNSHINE  
HI-LO CRACKERS pkg. 21c  
AUNT SALLY  
COOKIES pkg. 23c  
SELOX 2 lge. pkgs. 29c

## The SNAP

PROPS



Simple props, such as the tennis racket, will help to make

INFORMAL portraits some fall because of two reasons: the subject may be one of people who just can't appear before a camera; second subject has nothing to do and appears artificially posed. The not too much we can do about first situation, but it's easy remedy that second condition introduce a few "props."

What are props? Well, in the photographic sense the term of practically any existing or future object. But generally speaking props for informal portraits are only ordinary items found in any home. For instance, in week's illustration the tennis racket could well come under heading of props. Perhaps the subject is a tennis player—it does make much difference—because looks as if she had been playing. And the props in the picture

## AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY NEW

GEORGE A. MUNDT UNIT The Ladies Auxiliary of G. A. Mundt Post 81 with Mrs. O'Brien, President of our Unit, entertained the Department of Mrs. Greenwood of Falmouth, Maine at the district meeting Saturday at 2:30 P. M. in Legion Hall.

Twenty-one members were present including Mrs. Green Mrs. Fannie Cummings who did for State President for other year, also Mrs. Blaque Norway Post and Mrs. Lotthe, Secretary of the 2nd District. Our two Gold Star Mothers, Bertha Mundt and Mrs. French were present.

The meeting opened in formal manner with the playing of the Star Spangled Banner was a welcome in behalf of the legion and Auxiliary to the district.

During the meeting a program was rendered with Mrs. Scarborough as chairman. Star Spangled Banner was a welcome in behalf of the legion and Auxiliary to the district.

Following the meeting a was served with Mary M. Chairman which was enjoyed all.

Remember Poppy Day, and buy a poppy to aid our war veterans. Next Auxiliary meeting to be held May 28 at Rooms at 7:30 P. M.

JACKSON-SILVER UNIT, N. Jackson-Silver Post and Unit for regular meetings, Friday, May 15, with Vice President Lora Greenwood of Farmington as a special guest, also, State Defense Chairman, Lotthe of Rumford and Alice Quire, Vice President of the





## THE LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

I rummage around considerable in the papers and I see the same palaver taking place now, all over. It is giving the war a run for its money. We can get up a bigger sweat over nothing than any nation.

The furor is about "slacks." But the way folks snicker when a chunky mama breezes by in her seersuckers, is not being fair. When I can do so, I always put in an oar for the ladies. Instead of snickering and making jokes, we should feel sorry. Maybe mama has no mirror to her name. Think of it. No full-length mirror. We should give her the benefit of the doubt and muffle our snicker.

"Slacks" is what they call 'em. That was the first mistake. That got people to wondering—and then talking. I have scanned no slacks yet that you could say were slack except maybe it was around the cuff. And cuffs will soon be taboo. And recent-like I saw an ensemble of slacks, high heels and a apron over all. It was quite novel.

But in due course grandma and the girls will get hep—and will again be as sweet as ever dolling up like the iceman or the village blacksmith.

Yours with the low down,  
JO SERRA

### RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas, our Heavenly Father has, in His great wisdom, called Home one of our Worthy Brothers Sumner Davis.

Resolved, that the removal of this faithful Brother, a Past Master of our Order, be felt as a great loss to Bear River Grange.

Resolved, that our sincere sympathy be extended to his wife and children in their great affliction.

Resolved, that our Charter be draped in memory of our departed Brother.

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon our records. A copy presented to the bereaved family and a copy sent to the Oxford County Citizen for publication.

ERNEST L. HOLT  
C. F. SAUNDERS  
E. E. BENNETT  
Committee

### State of Maine

Oxford, ss April 22, 1942.  
Taken this 22nd day of April, 1942, on execution dated March 22, 1942 issued on a judgment rendered by the Superior Court for the County of Oxford, at the term thereof begun and held on the first Tuesday of March, 1942, to wit, on the 23rd day of March, 1942, in favor of Charles S. Lougee of Brownfield in said County and State against Ralph E. Pitman of Fryeburg in said County and State, for Two Hundred Eighty-Seven Dollars and Fifty Cents, debt or damage, and Seventeen Dollars and Eighty-eight cents, costs of suit, and will be sold at public auction at the office of Hastings & Son, in Fryeburg, Maine, to the highest bidder, on the 8th day of June, 1942, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate and all the right, title and interest, either in law or in equity, which the said Ralph E. Pitman has and had in and to the same on the 21st day of October, 1940, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the time when the same was attached on the writ in the same suit, to wit:  
Homestead of the said Ralph E. Pitman situated on Smith Street in said Fryeburg, in Fryeburg Village in said town, being the same conveyed to said Ralph E. Pitman by George H. Coleman by deed dated October 18, 1933, recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 128, Page 418, supposed to be bounded at present, on the North by land of Zenna Peterson, and Bradley and Ela; East by Smith Street; South by land of E. W. Bosworth and West by land of the said Bradley and Ela.

Clifton H. Hill  
Deputy Sheriff.

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### State of Maine

Oxford, ss April 22, 1942.  
Taken this 22nd day of April, on execution dated March 28, 1942, issued on a judgment rendered by the Superior Court for the County of Oxford, at the term thereof begun and held on the first Tuesday of March, 1942, to wit, on the 23rd day of March, 1942, in favor of

Elizabeth L. Lowell, Executrix under the will of Rufus N. Lowell, late of Hiram, County of Oxford and State of Maine, against Clayton E. Eastman, of Porter, in said County of Oxford, for fifty-six Dollars and sixty Cents, debt or damage, and seventeen Dollars and Twelve Cents, costs of suit, and will be sold at public auction at the office of Hastings & Son, in Fryeburg, Maine, to the highest bidder, on the 8th day of June, 1942, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate and all the right, title and interest, either in law or in equity, which the said Clayton Eastman has and had in and to the same on the 29th day of September, 1941, at 3:50 o'clock in the afternoon, the time when the same was attached on the writ in the same suit, to wit:

A certain lot or parcel of land, together with the buildings thereon, situated in said Porter, on the southerly side of the road leading from Porter Village to Charles Young Place, being the same conveyed to the said Clayton Eastman by Ezra E. and Ida E. Eastman by deed dated May 24, 1930, recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 128, Page 227, bounded and described as follows:  
Commencing at the corner of the main road and bounded by the main road running westerly to a certain stone; thence running southerly by land of Ed Rice and land of Howard Wentworth to a stone post; thence easterly to a certain pine tree by land of Fred Small; thence northwesterly by land of M. Tucker to the corner of land of Frank Holmes; thence running North to the main road by land of Frank Holmes, said lot containing 127 acres more or less.

Clifton H. Hill

Deputy Sheriff

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### State of Maine

Oxford, ss April 22, 1942.  
Taken this 22nd day of April, on execution dated April 6, 1942, issued on a judgment rendered by the Superior Court for the County of Oxford, at the term thereof begun and held on the first Tuesday of March, 1942, to wit, on the 23rd day of March, 1942, in favor of Hugh W. Hastings, Attorney for the estate of Arthur G. Kilbourn, of said Fryeburg, County of Oxford and State of Maine, against Jessie A. M. Whitten of Brownfield in said County and State, for Eighty-Eight Dollars and Thirty-eight Cents, debt or damage, and Eleven Dollars and Seven Cents, costs of suit, and will be sold at public auction at the office of Hastings & Son, in Fryeburg, Maine, to the highest bidder, on the 8th day of June, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate and all the right, title and interest, either in law or in equity, which the said Jessie A. M. Whitten has and had in and to the same on the 11th day of September, 1935, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the time when the same was attached on the writ in the same suit, to wit:  
Homestead of the said Whitten situated in said Brownfield, together with the buildings thereon, on the northerly side of the road leading from Brownfield Center to the Railroad Station in said town, bounded and described as follows:  
Commencing at the southeast corner of the late William E. Swan's homestead, thence northerly and westerly on said Swan's line to the brow of the hill on the Tyler line, so-called; thence on said Tyler line northerly to the mouth of the Tyler Ditch at Shepherd's River, thence down said River as it trends to land formerly owned by Thomas Harmon, thence easterly on said Harmon's line to land formerly owned by A. J. Durgin and later by said Thomas Harmon; thence southerly on said Harmon's westerly line to C. H. Harmon's line; thence westerly and southerly around said Harmon's lot to said road; thence westerly by said road to the bound begun at. Being 10 acres more or less.

Saving, excepting and reserving out of the parcel above described that parcel conveyed by Rosa S. Adams to Fulton B. Pendexter by deed dated December 18, 1923, and recorded in said Registry Book 116, Page 429, being a small parcel containing some 10,725 sq. ft. The above homestead was conveyed to the said Whitten by Samuel N. Adams, by deed dated September 7, 1929, recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 124, Page 503.

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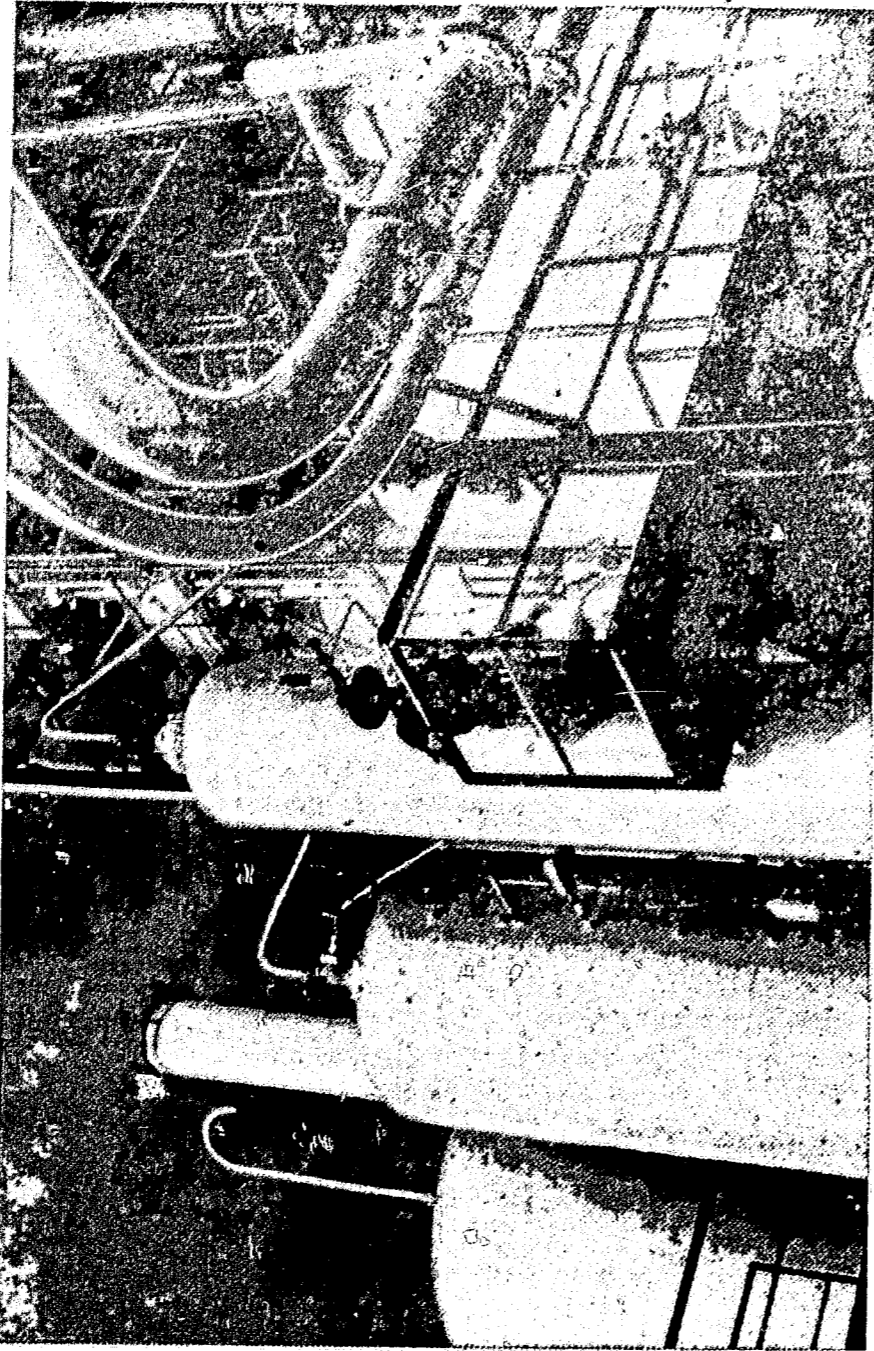
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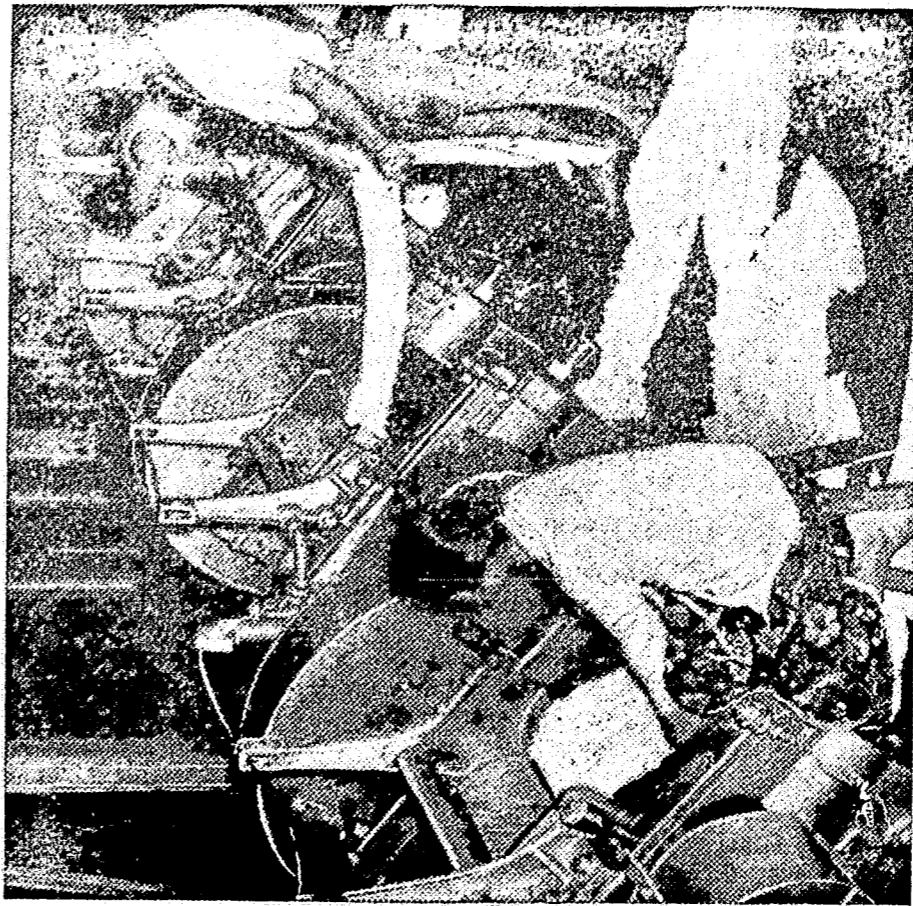
# OUR THE NETHERLANDS ALLIES:

WHEN THE HISTORY of World War II is finally written, it will be recorded that the first bit of foreign soil on which U. S. troops went into action against the Axis was Java, most populous and important of the Netherlands East Indies (see map below for comparison with the U. S.). The Netherlands thus was the first United Nation actually to receive U. S. aid in men and ships, and inadequate though this help was, it underlines the Netherlands' importance as a Pacific ally.

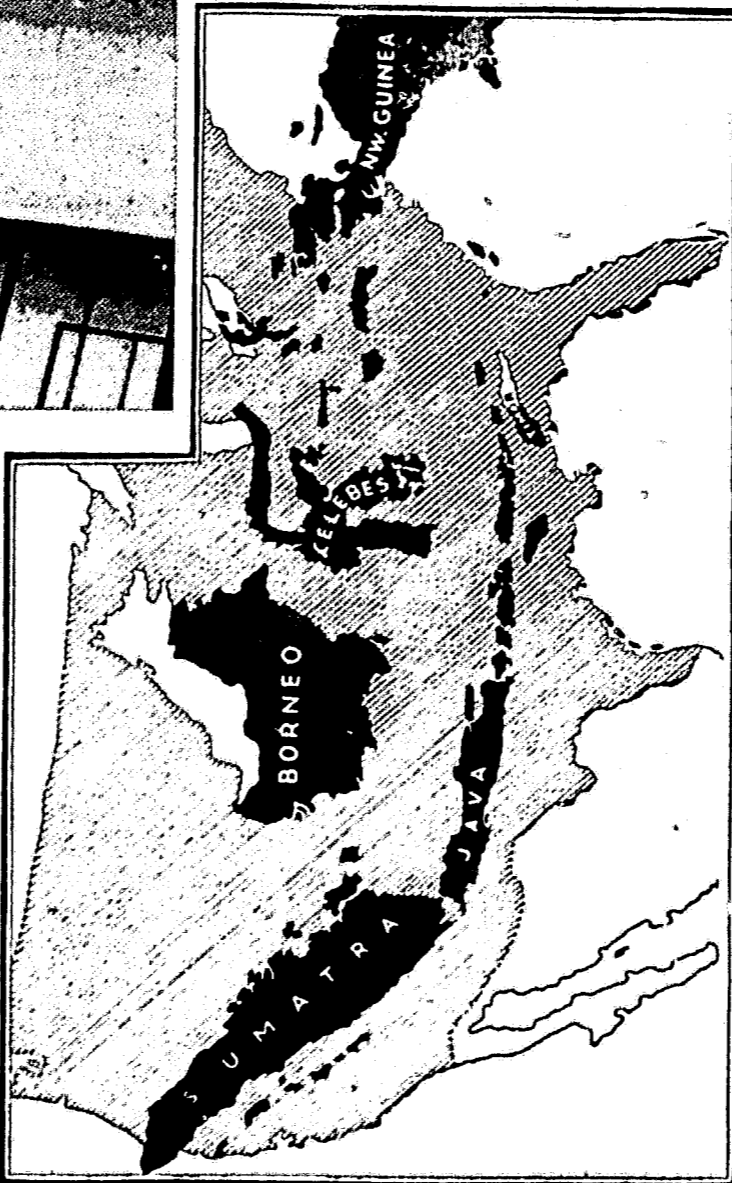
The Battle of Java has since been lost, after Dutch resistance there gave the United Nations time to organize for the defense of Australia. On many of the islands, however, resistance continues, and it may be months before the Japs can consider their conquest complete. And even then, the Japanese will not have what they wanted, for the Dutch, in retreating, are systematically wrecking everything that might be of use to the Japanese war machine.



OIL WELLS, REFINERIES and storage tanks worth more than \$500,000,000 have already been destroyed by Dutch to prevent their capture by Japs.



ALSO WRECKED have been rubber factories, mining equipment, docks and radios. Half-white, half-native government (left) stuck to their posts in Java.



LUXURIOUS forests and rich fields cover most of the 733,000 sq. miles of the Indies, now one-third Jap-occupied.



RESISTANCE by Dutch and Indonesian forces continues on many islands, especially mountainous Sumatra and New Guinea, where Japs' mechanized equipment is less effective.

## EAST BETHEL

Eugene Burns, Malcolm Farwell and Victor Robinson were in Oxford Sunday to help Mr. and Mrs. Granville Burns get ready to move to Portsmouth.

Malcolm Farwell is working for Chester Todd in Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Howe were at John Howe's Sunday, bringing the tractor and trailer down and plowing the garden spot.

S. B. Newton has been plowing and harrowing for several people here and in Andover, with his new tractor, plow and harrow.

Miss Mary A. Toft and Miss Kathleen MacDonald were at their homes in South Portland and South Paris over the week end.

The East Bethel Canteen Committee served a hot lunch to teachers, school children and several other people Wednesday noon. The lunch consisted of hot veg-

etable cereal chowder, egg sandwiches, milk and canned peaches. Fifty one were served.

A Farm Bureau business meeting was held and plans discussed for future equipment and rearrangement of the kitchen equipment if the Grange had no objection. A menu was planned for the rally day supper Thursday the 21st. The chairman reported that the bags of trimmings had been ordered and should be here soon for Farm

Bureau members to sell.

William S. Hastings was sick with flu over the week end. Barbara Hastings spent the week end at her home here.

Alder River Grange

Alder River Grange held a regular meeting Friday evening with Worthy Overseer Robert Billings in the Master's chair. Several letters were read asking aid and it was voted to send the usual sums when funds were available. Ways and means of raising money were

discussed but no action was taken. It was voted to allow the ladies of the community to rearrange the kitchen to make it more convenient to work in.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Bean of Rumford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett, Sunday.

Mr. and Haulon Olson returned to North Newry, Sunday, after several months here working for his father, Ole Olson, and brother, Jorgen Olson, on Holt Hill.

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